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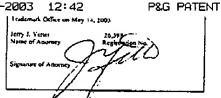
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT for the patent application:

Inventor(s): Capeci et al.

Confirmation No. 2162

Serial No.: 09/787,452

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Date Filed: July 13, 2001

Examiner: L. Douyon

Title: Granular Detergent Compositions Having Homogenous Particles And Process For

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